

2014-2015 ACT Aspire Wisconsin State Testing Spring Checklist of Dates

Your school will be testing with ACT Aspire
 Website: <http://www.act.org/aap/wisconsin/aspire.html>

Standard and Accommodation Time Testing

Spring Testing Window

April 27, 2015 - May 22, 2015

Format Key: PP – Paper and Pencil (Braille, Large Print, American Sign Language), CBT – Computer Based Testing, B - Both

Format	Date	Task
B	February 2-13, 2015	DPI updates State Organizational File.
B	February 16-20, 2015	Training – Wisconsin on location.
B	TBD	Training – Online Test Readiness for Technology Coordinators webinar posted.
B	March 6, 2015	DPI uploads 10 th grade student data files.
B	March 9-13, 2015	Districts and Schools confirm 10 th grade student data files uploaded by DPI and make any changes to 9 th and 10 th grade student data in portal.
B	March 20, 2015	Deadline for all accommodations to be entered into Personal Needs Profiles in Aspire portal.
PP	March 20, 2015	Deadline for Paper-based test orders. To order paper-based tests: Test Coordinator must put students who require Braille, Large Print, or American Sign Language into paper-based test sessions. Only students who require Braille, Large Print or American Sign Language are eligible to test with paper tests.
PP	March 30–April 3, 2015	Window for ACT Aspire to Print, Package, and Ship Paper Materials. (Braille, Large Print, American Sign Language).
CBT	April 1, 2015	Technology Coordinators Complete Proctor Caching Setup.
PP	April 6-8, 2015	Test Coordinator receives paper shipment.
CBT	April 15-23, 2015	Window for Technology Coordinators to Conduct Online Readiness Testing.
CBT	April 14th	Java Update – Scheduled and pushed by Oracle.
CBT	April 17, 2015	Deadline for Testing Coordinators to Setup Sessions for Online Testing.
B	April 27 – May 22, 2015	Window for ACT Aspire Testing.
PP	May 29, 2015	Deadline for ACT Aspire to receive all Paper Tests from Test Coordinator. (Braille, Large Print, American Sign Language only). ACT Aspire must receive shipment by 5/29/14.
B	June 19, 2015	DPI submits final invalidations list.
B	July 2, 2015	Reports released to the ACT Aspire Portal for District and School use. (Contractual)
	TBD	Chrome/Chromebook OS updates – pushed by Google. Little or no advance notice.